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Reference:

Gary Development Landfill Superfund Site, Gary, Indiana

Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for the Remedial

Investigation/Feasibility Study, CERCLA Docket No. V-W-14-C-004

March 2022 Monthly Progress Report #095

Dear Ms. Werner:

In fulfillment of the requirements of Section IX, Paragraph 32, of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study, CERCLA Docket No. V-W-14-C-004, the Respondents are submitting the March 2022 monthly progress report.

Should you have any questions or comments, please contact me or Bennie Underwood at (865) 691-5052.

Sincerely,

de maximis, inc.

Michael H. Samples

Alternate Project Coordinator

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Enclosure

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**GDL** Technical Committee



#### **MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT - #095**

**PROJECT NAME:** 

Gary Development Landfill Superfund Site

**PERIOD COVERED:** 

March 2022

### A. ACTIONS TAKEN TOWARD COMPLIANCE WITH THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

- On March 3, 2022, representatives for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) and the Settling Work Parties (SWPs), participated in a web-based meeting to discuss the Feasibility Study (FS), dated June 9, 2021. In follow-up to the meeting, USEPA provided the SWPs with a draft memo, dated March 22, 2022, outlining USEPA concerns related to Site groundwater.
- Weaver Consultants, on behalf of the SWPs, continued preparing a summary documenting an
  inspection and re-inventorying of the investigation-derived waste (IDW) drums staged on-Site as
  part of the Remedial Investigation (RI).

### **B. SAMPLING AND TESTING ACTIONS AND RESULTS**

None necessary.

# C/D. WORK PLANNED FOR NEXT TWO MONTHS AND SCHEDULE OF SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES / DELIVERABLES

- On April 26, 2022, participate in a web-based meeting with representatives for USEPA and IDEM to discuss USEPA's March 22, 2022 draft memorandum (see above).
- Coordinate with USEPA and IDEM and arrange for the off-Site disposal of liquid IDW drums staged on-Site.

### E. CHANGES IN RI/FS WORK PLANS OR ACTIVITIES

None.

## F. ENCOUNTERED / ANTICIPATED DELAYS

None.

### G. COMMUNITY RELATIONS ACTIVITIES

None requested.